

HOUSE RESOLUTION 67
By Rinks

A RESOLUTION to recognize the students of Michie Elementary School for their meritorious service to the Michie community.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that this General Assembly pause to salute those students, teachers, and administrators of elementary schools who, through their remarkable efforts, have distinguished themselves as community leaders of whom we can all be proud; and

WHEREAS, Michie Elementary of McNairy County is one such estimable school whose students are meritoriously serving their community; and

WHEREAS, on April 15-17, 2005, young people across America will observe the 17th Annual National Youth Service Day by addressing important unmet community needs through service and service-learning projects; and

WHEREAS, in observance of National Youth Service Day, Michie Elementary's Gardening Science Club will revitalize and cultivate a neglected garden area on the school's campus by planting rose bushes, shade plants, and other flowers to attract humming birds and butterflies; the students will also install a goldfish water feature and bench in the newly landscaped garden area; and

WHEREAS, evincing her deep commitment to service, Debra Steen, sponsor of the Gardening Science Club, is planning this praiseworthy community service project; and

WHEREAS, the students in Michie Elementary's after-school Gardening Science Club are Alanna Axley, Chanda Beavers, Erin Butler, Zach Byrd, Kelsea Cart, Amber Davis, Amber Dellinger, Katherine Deshazier, Grace Durbin, Mallory Eaton, John M. Eaton, Ethan Flatt, Heather Frye, Matthew Frye, Brady Herrin, Bradley James, Addison King, Layla Leggett, Hunter Roberts, and Regan Southern; and

WHEREAS, the Michie Elementary students' commitment to service epitomizes the spirit of all true Tennesseans; and

WHEREAS, the success of the State of Tennessee, the strength of our communities, and the overall vitality of our society depend upon the dedication of people like Debra Steen and the members of the Michie Elementary Gardening Science Club who use their considerable talents and resources to serve others; and

WHEREAS, this General Assembly finds it appropriate to pause in its deliberations to acknowledge and applaud the students of Michie Elementary School for their many contributions to the good people of Tennessee and unwavering commitment to others; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby recognize Debra Steen and the Michie Elementary Gardening Science Club for their meritorious service to the Michie community and wish them every success in all future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.